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By Facsimile 212-805-7942
Honorable Alvin K. Hellerstein
United States District Court Judge
500 Pearl Street - Courtroom 14 D
New York, New York 10007

Re: In Re: World Trade Center Disaster Site Litigation
Bodily Injury, Non-Respiratory, Non-Ingestion
Cases - 21 MC 100 (AKH)

Dear Judge Hellerstein:

As you may recall, the undersigned is liaison counsel for plaintiffs in the Bodily-Injury, Non-Respiratory, Non-Ingestion cases ("Non-Respiratory Plaintiffs").

On December 28, 2010, the undersigned wrote a letter to Your Honor pertaining to preparations of an application for an Order awarding payment of counsel fees and expenses for performed on behalf of plaintiffs in these cases. On January 11, 2011, Your Honor issued an Order by way of Endorsement directing the undersigned to file this application within 10 days, setting forth time expended, expenses incurred and supporting documentation.

The purpose of this letter is to most respectfully request that Your Honor grant a brief extension of this Ordered filing date. The applicant has undertaken every measure reasonably possible to gather the information directed, complete the papers and submit this application within this time frame directed, and is continuing all due efforts to expedite it to completion, uninterruptedly. In the midst of the preparation of these efforts, my office computer system failed, completely, taking with it all configurations to our printer, facsimile, internet and scanner.

It is with the utmost diligence that I am working to expedite the preparation and completion these papers. The issues are nearly resolved. However, the absence of functioning office equipment, and loss of time necessitated in addressing these issues, hindered what have otherwise been around the clock efforts to comply with this Ordered due date.

In view of these circumstances, I most humbly request that the Court grant a one-week extension of time to file these papers.

I thank the Court for any indulgence in this matter.

Respectfully yours,

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